Code Enforcement Office

Another busy year and year for change in the Codes Office! Sadly, Codes Assistant Cindy Bryant departed the Code Office in pursuit of other career opportunities this past spring. Her co-workers have felt the absence of Cindy's energy, style and professionalism and wish her well. Code Enforcement Officers Terri-Lynn Sawyer and William Wells feel very fortunate that Jean Rand joined their team in March and she has settled into this challenging position very well.

The Codes Office issued a total of 304 land use permits and 214 plumbing permits in 2005. Although the Town has seen their first decrease in permits in six years, the Code Office has not seen a reduction in activity! This past year has allowed us to dedicate more attention to enforcement issues and septic system surveys. The Office continues to handle State Grant Programs that benefit the Town and residents. However, unfortunately, due to large budget cuts at the State level, the three grant programs that have been available to the Town have either been reduced in amount or eliminated. The State's Small Community Grant Program was not available in 2005 but may be back in 2006. The State's Overboard Discharge Grant Program was reconfigured which did allow us to replace and eliminate three overboard discharge systems. Even though the State's Above Ground Heating Oil Supply Tank and Piping Upgrade Project grant money was reduced in amount, we were able to replace six oil tanks. Sadly, the oil tank program will not be available again. With the reduction in State aid for these valuable programs, the Town has been developing a local grant/loan program to assist residents with the replacement of malfunctioning septic systems. We hope this program will be active in 2006!

The Codes Office Team encourages everyone to call or stop by if you have any questions, concerns or ideas as the staff would be pleased to offer their assistance in anyway they can.



William Wells Terri-Lynn Sawyer Codes Officers & Plumbing Inspectors

Jean Rand Codes Office Secretary

Land Use & Plumbing Permit History

Year Issued	Land Use Permits	Plumbing Permits	Mobile Homes	Home New	Accessory Structures	Additions Renovations	Piers Docks Floats	Rip-Rap Seawall	Other / Repairs / Maintenance	Modular Homes	Replacement Dwellings	Replacement Wharfs
1991	166	153	0	40	34	65	22	4	1	N/A	N/A	N/A
1992	112	140	1	23	11	40	27	5	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
1993	209	139	5	46	47	70	30	4	7	N/A	N/A	N/A
1994	253	181	7	54	46	99	29	6	12	N/A	N/A	N/A
1995	223	245	9	47	36	77	46	1	7	N/A	N/A	N/A
1996	205	386	14	33	40	86	24	3	5	N/A	N/A	N/A
1997	251	199	10	44	53	94	34	6	10	N/A	N/A	N/A
1998	302	210	8	43	49	122	52	15	13	N/A	N/A	N/A
1999	310	204	9	57	53	109	36	12	34	N/A	N/A	N/A
2000	282	201	12	47	74	85	18	3	43	N/A	N/A	N/A
2001	292	219	7	53	85	79	37	2	29	N/A	N/A	N/A
2002	336	290	9	66	87	107	33	4	20	10	N/A	N/A
2003	340	262	3	50	79	125	33	4	36	10	N/A	N/A
2004	372	271	12	59	83	125	28	10	48	2	5	N/A
2005	304	214	0	25	86	114	27	10	16	6	11	9

